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Snow Survey Reveals Water Still May Be Low

Expert Compares Season With Winter of 1933-34

A recent snow survey made by an agreement between the Truckee Carson Irrigation District, the Washoe County Water Conservation District and the Sierra Pacific Power Company revealed that while an abundance of snow now caps the Sierra range, there is no need for optimism about the water supply for this year.

Philip S. Cowgill, secretary for the Truckee Basin Water Committee, said that the situation now is comparable to 1933-34 when, despite a heavy early snow fall, the year was one of the driest on record. If, however, the area gets 75 per cent of its normal snowfall from now on there will be adequate water. Less than that may result in a shortage, he indicated.

The Donner Lake course surveyed January 2 showed an average depth of 46.7 inches of snow with a water content of 12.1 inches or 46.5 per cent of the normal water content as of April 1. Last year this course showed 12.0 inches of water and in 1947 8.8 inches. Since Donner filled to capacity during those years it is reasonable to assume it will fill this year regardless of future precipitation.

The Sage Hen course measured January 2 showed 34.9 inches of snow with a water content of 8.4 inches or 38.9 per cent of normal for April 1. This course supplies the Boca reservoir which undoubtedly will fill.

In the Lake Tahoe basin surveys indicated about 40 per cent of the April 1 normal. With a normal fall of snow during the next three months, it would appear the lake will probably reach a maximum elevation of 6227 and provide adequate supply for the year.

FOREST SERVICE WINTER SPORT SCHOOL SLATED

Tahoe National Forest headquarters will play host to a Winter Sports Administration Training Camp January 17 to 28 at McIntosh Lodge, Donner Summit.

Sponsored by the forest service regional office in San Francisco, the meet will attract selected personnel from the national forests throughout California. Eleven of the 18 forests will be represented at the meet, which will be attended by James Gibson, forest service regional recreation officer.

Making plans to receive the forest officers are Howard Smith, recreation officer, and Max D. Williamson, Big Bend ranger, both of the Tahoe Forest staff. Described by Smith as the first such training camp to be held in several years and the most complete ever attempted, the 12-day school will emphasize winter first aid and safety measures for the successful operation of National Forest winter sports activities.

"The training camp has become necessary because of the increase of winter and snow sports in the forests. This popularity has developed rapidly in the past ten years," Smith said.

The following schedule for the camp was outlined by Smith:

1. Check up on skiing ability of the forest representatives with Edvin Aro, forest ski supervisor, directing the instruction.

2. First aid for winter injuries. This phase will be conducted by William Cameron, director of the Sacramento chapter of the American Red Cross.

3. Administration of the winter resorts. This work will include instruction in operation and inspection of ski lifts and other mechanical facilities, handling of crowds with emphasis on safety devices.

4. Lectures on the handling of avalanches and snow hazards by Werner Grob, representative of the Swiss National Tourist Bureau. Grob will show Swiss winter movies to emphasize his subject.

Smith reported that an Army type "weasel" has been obtained to haul food and supplies into McIntosh Lodge for the 12-day affair.

Weather Warmer After After Long Cold Snap

Warmer weather last night and today was welcomed in the Truckee area following a protracted cold snap which sent temperatures for five straight days of the past week to 9 below zero at the U. S. Forest Service station and considerably colder in other parts of town. Only a trace of precipitation was recorded in the powdered snow which fell. There is a pack of 24 inches of snow at Truckee and well over 50 inches on Donner Summit.

Colfax Fireballs Defeat Truckee In Local Game

Locals Drop Co-Ops In Close Hoop Contest On Tuesday

The Colfax Fireballs basketball team, sponsored by the American Legion, Saturday night got the jump on the Truckee Legion's town and nursed their opening moments' lead to a final margin of victory. The visitors scored eight points before Truckee got any and went on to win 60 to 52. The locals tried hard but never pulled ahead although the score stood at 52 to 51 with five minutes to play.

On Tuesday night the Truckee hoopsters were on top in an even closer contest with the Reno Co-Ops. The final score was 50 to 47 after a 21-19 half time and 33-31 third quarter. The loss to Colfax Saturday was the local team's first of the season.

Games for the coming week on the court here include Daugherty's Bar of Reno Thursday night, Jan. 13; Vaughn Mills, Saturday night, the 15th; Roys Clothiers, Wednesday the 19th and the South Virginia Bar on Friday, the 21st.

All these are Reno outfits and the Roys Clothiers were Reno city league champs last season.

BUS SERVICE TO TAHOE STOPPED UNTIL MID-MAY

The Pacific Greyhound Lines has announced the discontinuance of the Truckee-Tahoe service, effective January 12, according to a notice posted in the post office here this week by C. J. Sundberg, general traffic manager for the bus lines. The service will be resumed, Sundberg said, on or about May 15.

The bus line has a year-round mail contract but it is understood that postal transportation will be taken care of by another private carrier.

Bechdolt Is Postman

TAHOE CITY— Carl Bechdolt Jr. of Tahoe City was notified by Fred Ackerman of San Francisco that he was to take over the mail and express contract beginning Wednesday at which time Greyhound discontinued service from Truckee to Tahoe City.

Fred Morris, bus driver of the run and resident of Truckee where he owns property, will seek the Reno-Bishop run, according to current reports. The contract for winter conveyance of mail and express runs from October to May and will be driven by Bechdolt and Bob Banks. Plans for transportation of passengers has not been announced but taxi service is available at both Tahoe and Truckee.

Third Daughter Born To Douglas Barretts

It's a third daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Barrett upon the arrival in Reno last Thursday night, January 6, of Phyllis Mae who weighed in at 6 pounds 13½ ounces. The babe is preceded by sisters Kathryn Ann and Sheila Joanne. Phyllis is the fifth grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Barrett who have, to date, one grandson and four granddaughters.

Date for School Vote Draws Near in Area

Preparations are being made for the special unified school district election to be held Friday, January 21, in the five units which make up the district—Truckee, Tahoe City, Kings Beach, Donner Summit and Floriston.

The polls will be open from 1 to 8 p.m.

There are six candidates for the five positions on the governing board whose names will appear on the ballots. They are William Rutherford, of Soda Springs; Walter A. Loynd and Eugene Ilardi of Truckee; Stanley Martin and Raymond Fellows of Tahoe City and Thomas Lucas of Kings Beach.

March of Dimes Will Be Started In Near Future

Need Greater Than Ever Says Drive Chief For County

Soon the drive opens in Truckee and elsewhere to raise funds for the fight against infantile paralysis, according to an announcement by Elmer Stevens of Grass Valley, county chairman.

Stevens has named Walter M. Barrett of Truckee as local committee chairman and a number of other volunteers, including officers of the California Highway Patrol, headed by Sergeant H. B. Fowler, will participate in the drive locally.

In stressing the need for funds, Stevens pointed out the county, state and national fund available for the polio battle are exhausted as a result of the terrific epidemic which swept the state during last year and due to the backlog of cases from previous years.

Last year Nevada County had four cases of poliomyelitis and Placer County had 18. Many of these cases are still under treatment with a huge expenditure required for each individual case perhaps for months to come. There were nearly 6,000 cases in California alone last year and it was necessary to draw heavily upon the national fund and unless a good showing is made during the 1949 drive it is not impossible that the fight must be discontinued as a local and national program, leaving the huge cost to be borne by the individual and providing a means for further and rapid spread of the disease.

Collectors will make every effort to contact each person in the district but donations may be left at either the Sierra Sun office or at the Truckee branch, Bank of America, or given to state patrolmen and other local peace officers.

Absconding Clerk Is Jailed Thirty Days

Elmer Oliver Gibson who had been employed as a clerk in a Truckee hotel is serving a 30 day jail sentence following his conviction on a petty theft charge before Justice of the Peace R. N. Little Monday.

Gibson was charged with stealing $47 from the hotel where he was employed. He was taken from a bus at Colfax by Constable McCrary and returned to Truckee by Sheriff Richard Hoskins after Constable N. F. Dolley was notified and asked the cooperation of the other officers.

Operator of Trailer Cited In Accident

Charges of driving on the wrong side of the highway were filed against Fred E. Houghson, 38, North Sacramento, by Patrolman William Gautsche following a collision between a trailer operated by Houghson and a Lang truck driven by Donald Pollard, 47, Roseville, Monday afternoon near Norden.

The front end of the big house trailer was demolished when it was struck by the truck. Gautsche said the trailer was on the wrong side of the highway on a turn and that the truck driver could not avoid it.

Hudson Writes From Project In Brazil

Henry Hudson, former Truckee business man who later went to Guam, is now working in the mountains of south Brazil, according to a letter received by the Louis Euers. Last week his outfit was battling land slides while endeavoring to build a railroad through the South American country.

Knights, Sisters Drill For Joint Ceremony

A regular meeting of Summit Temple 79, Pythian Sisters, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock, MRC Hazel Roberts announced. Practice for joint installation with Summit Lodge 54, Knights of Pythias, on January 28 will be held and refreshments will be served.

The Knights meet tomorrow night for similar preparations.

Sun Beams

by Walter M. Barrett

This week the drive to raise funds for the fight against infantile paralysis starts and we rather feel that aside from simply calling your attention to the fact further explanation is unnecessary. We are all too familiar with what this dread disease has done during the past few months. Thousands of youngsters, with every right to enjoy the full measure of health and happiness, were stricken and died or lived to be crippled throughout their lives. The epidemics have exhausted the local, state and national funds made available to combat the disease and unless the current March of Dimes results in overwhelming success future epidemics may find much easier toll than the last. It is not a time to drop a dime in a container and feel that your duty has been done. Dimes certainly help but the cause is worthy and demanding of much more than dimes. Whether or not you are personally contacted this month, bear in mind that a heavy responsibility rests upon each of us as individuals and do your full share. Truckee has never been found lagging in such a worthy effort and we sincerely hope that we can be an example envied by other communities which will be striving to make it possible for American children to live without fear of a living death.

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The 43 earnest residents of the proposed Tahoe Forest Hospital District who braved icy roads and zero weather to attend the meeting of the supervisors this week to plead the case for the hospital have well earned the thanks of the communities they represented. The excellent response to the committee's appeal for representation was well answered and the board must have been favorably impressed with our desires to obtain a much needed hospital for this fast growing area.

Guidotti Will Take IOOF Head Chair

Ernest Guidotti will be installed as noble grand of the local Odd Fellows lodge at installation ceremonies to be held Tuesday, January 25. Other officers to be seated for the coming term are Fred Morris, vice grand; F. A. Titus, secretary and Jerry Zunino, treasurer. Appointive officers will be named later.

Refreshments will be served following the meeting and all members are asked to be present.

Highway Death Toll Was Lower in 1948

Although there were nearly twice as many motor vehicle accidents in the Truckee area during 1948 as during 1947, the number of casualties was far less, according to Sergeant H. B. Fowler of the California Highway Patrol.

The figures kept by Patrolman William Gautsche showed a total of 170 accidents during the past year compared to 95 for 1947. During 1947, 133 were injured and 12 killed in accidents while during 1948 only six were killed and 169 were injured.

There were 1040 arrests made by the local squad during the past year.

In Hospital—

Art Rafel is reported to be improving at a Nevada City hospital.

At Capital—

Andrea Armati was a business visitor in Sacramento last week.

From Auburn—

Mr. and Mrs. Al Ring and daughter Yvonne of Auburn were the guests of Dick Joseph this week.

Interest Gains In Dog Derby For This Region

Pilgrimage to Bay Area Brings Assurances Of Support

The possibility of the Truckee Outing Club sponsoring a dog derby in Truckee will be discussed at a meeting of that organization tonight at 8 o'clock at Hill Top Lodge.

Roy Waters, president of the club announced that he would make the subject the principal topic of tonight's session and urges all members and others interested in the proposal to attend.

While the Outing Club may head the project, it will take the full cooperation of other local organizations, Waters said, to make it a success.

Interest in the local dog derby was further emphasized here last night when a general discussion on the possibilities of such a program occupied the meeting of the Lions Club.

Frank Titus, who with Ed Crandall and Lloyd Van Sickle of Hill Top Lodge, recently went to San Francisco to interview Southern Pacific officials regarding the derby, reported a favorable reaction and a promise of support.

Lewis Price, official of the American Dog Derby Association, attended the meeting and Van Sickle showed films of the 1948 races at Ashton, Idaho. It is hoped that the locale of the races can be changed from Idaho to Truckee but this is in the formative stages and nothing definite has yet been decided.

It was indicated that the Lions will support a race here and other local organizations will be asked to aid the project. Van Sickle, three times winner of the American derby, is now located here and believes that a successful race can be organized without too much expense.

Crandall, Van Sickle, Price and Tom O'Laughlin of Los Angeles were guests at the meeting. Stan Martin presided and B. W. Reynolds was program chairman.

Lois Tackett Seated As Head of Rebekahs

Naomi Rebekah Lodge No. 2 this week installed the following officers for the year:

Lois Tackett, noble grand; Ruth Rockholm, vice grand; Lucile Bick, secretary; Georgia Follett, treasurer; Gwendolyn Hocker, chaplain; JoAnn Brown, warden; Helen White, conductor; Dora Tackett, inside guardian; May Stark, outside guardian; Winifred Kamp, musician.

The installation staff was headed by Ruth Campbell, district deputy president, aided by Dolly Brunk, Hannah Stewart, and Gwendolyn Hocker. Refreshments were served after the installation.

Firemen Respond To Lunch Hour Alarm

Members of the Truckee volunteer fire department interrupted their lunch hour yesterday to put out a fire in the Besio apartment building next to the Truckee River bridge. Prompt response kept damage to a minimum. The fire was believed to have started during pipe thawing operations by a tenant.

Living in Roseville—

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bradshaw are in Truckee this week attending to business affairs before returning to Roseville where he is at present employed by the Southern Pacific Company.

In City—

Frank Titus was a visitor in San Francisco this week.

WEATHER RECORD

Courtesy U. S. Forest Service - Truckee District

TEMPERATURE THIS WEEK: High 28; Low —9 degrees

1948 Figures Computed from September 1, 1947

1949 Figures Comuted from September 1, 1948

PRECIPITATION IN INCHES

Total 1948 to date	Total for 1948	Total this week, 1949	1949 total to date
8.37	25.79	Trace	11.20

SNOWFALL IN INCHES

Total 1948 to date	Total 1949 to date	Total on ground
6.00	97.5	24

Lois Hardy Will Go On Trial For Murder Jan. 24

Kelly Again to Defend Woman on Murder Charges

Lois Hunt Hardy, 23, whose sentence to die in the state's gas chamber for the murder of James McLain, 49, near Hirschdale in July 1947, was overruled by a supreme court decision granting a new trial, will face a second jury in the Nevada County Superior Court on January 24.

This date was set by Judge James Snell this week.

Mrs. Hardy, whose husband Joey was sentenced to San Quentin for life for his participation in the slaying of McLain, will again be defended by Lynne Kelly who will be assisted by Alvard Johnson, Nevada City attorney. District Attorney Vernon Stoll will handle the prosecution.

In the first trial jurors from the eastern end of the county were excused from duty, although the venire now being prepared will no doubt contain Truckee names. It is expected that they will again be excused because of their familiarity with the case.

MORE THOUSANDS ENTERING STATE HERE LAST MONTH

"California here I come" continued to be the song of thousands of motorists who continued to cross the state's borders during December, the bureau of plant quarantine, state department of agriculture, reports.

Border stations checked 140,369 automobiles, 13,248 commercial trucks; 4,043 stages and 475,942 passengers during the month to further swell California's rapidly swelling population.

The border station at Truckee reported 10,601 automobiles, 1596 trucks, 635 stages, and 41,018 passengers.

Traffic was heavier through the border stations located in the southern part of the state due to winter snows in the mountain passes to the north but traffic through the northern stations was higher than former years, the bureau said.

Stateline, the next station south of Truckee, on Lake Tahoe cleared 1118 automobiles, 58 trucks, 34 stages and 2893 passengers.

Peavine, the station just north of here checked 7712 cars, 807 trucks, 198 stages and 21,662 passengers.

Car Owners Warned On '49 Registration

Sgt. H. B. Fowler, manager of the department of motors vehicles office at Truckee, today urged motorists of this mountain area to avoid the last-minute rush by renewing their registrations at once.

"It has been our experience that a large number of motorists delay until the last few days before penalties go into effect at midnight, February 4, to renew their registrations," Fowler said. "Then they become exasperated because they have to wait in line."

Truckee Red Cross Unit Under Study

NEVADA CITY— Kief Melberg, chairman of the Nevada City Red Cross chapter, reporting on the Truckee branch said that officers have been elected by the group which is now awaiting final action by Sacramento authorities before final establishment of the chapter in the eastern end of the county.

Scheduled to investigate in Truckee January 12 to 14 is Mrs. Myrtle Lytle, field agent for the Red Cross home service. Following final approval, the Truckee chapter would be given funds with which to carry on its program.

Elected December 6 to head the Truckee branch were Rev. Oscar Swenson, chairman; Mrs. Walter Loynd, home service secretary; Mrs. R. C. Gregory and Roy Waters, directors; Mrs. N. F. Dolley, treasurer and Mrs. Harry Eaton, secretary.

Hospital Decision Delayed At Meet Of Supervisors

Final Word of Board Is Postponed To February 3

After an exhaustive inquiry which continued throughout Tuesday, the Nevada County board of supervisors postponed until February 3 their final decision on whether or not an election shall be called for formation of the proposed Tahoe Forest Hospital District in this area.

The meeting was attended by nearyly 50 representatives from the communities requesting the election. R. N. Little, chairman of the hospital committee who has been active in the organization and preparatory work, headed the local delegation and presented the matter to the board. T. L. Chamberlain, attorney for the group, and Dr. L. D. Nelson and Dr. John Keys were also called upon to discuss the mechanics of the proposal.

The board apparently was impressed by the desire of the local people but hesitated in immediate action no doubt to study the costs involved and give the matter more concerted study. It was pointed out that the costs will be borne only by those benefitting from the hospital after a majority of voters in the district approve the plan.

Requests for partial exclusions were made by the Southern Pacific Company, The Fibreboard Corporation and Towle Brothers, although these requested exclusions are more or less minor in nature and do not take in inhabited areas. The local committee was asked to meet with representatives of the petitioners and approve or disapprove these requested exclusions. Little believes that all exclusions asked will not materially effect the program and will detract only in a minor degree from the expected tax income.

Time for filing exclusions ended Tuesday, Chairman Warren Odell pointed out in referring the requests to Little and his committee.

Many of the local delegates volunteered information to the board to show the desperate need for the hospital to serve this region which now must depend upon hospitals in distant cities.

Supervisor H. G. Loehr of Truckee, who has also been active in supporting the hospital program, said he will continue to exert efforts for its successful conclusion.

One factor alone was revealed this week when it was pointed out that 62 traffic accident cases from the Truckee area were taken to Reno hospitals. This does not include perhaps an equal number from the area taken to Colfax, Auburn, Sacramento and elsewhere.

DOLLEY IS AGAIN ELECTED CHIEF BY DEPARTMENT

N. F. (Tom) Dolley was renamed chief of the Truckee volunteer fire department at the meeting held Tuesday night at Moro's. With Dolley, Anthony Pace was again selected as assistant chief. Other officers are Frank Giovannoni and Robert W. Seibold, captains; William M. Englehart Jr. and Fosten Wilson, lieutenants; Erv Waters and Hes Cardinal, engineers; Roy Waters, sergeant at arms and V. L. Deaton, secretary-treasurer. Roy Waters was named to organize an emergency crew to operate the department's inhalator and resuscitator.

Chief Al Henry Jr. of Tahoe was a guest and movies of the Truckee baseball team in the 1948 season were shown by Deaton after the end of the business meeting. There were 22 members and guests present at the session.

Woman Breaks Legs In Skiing Accident

Despite cold weather during the past week skiers enjoyed the facilities provided throughout the area and the fun resulted in several accidents. Barbara A. Gaynor of San Francisco broke both of her legs; Mrs. William Summerville of Berkeley, C. S. Woods of San Francisco all had bad sprains and Thomas Hunt of San Francisco broke his right leg. Glenn Parsons of Trailsyde Lodge suffered torn ligaments in his left knee and ankle. All were brought to Truckee for treatment.

Truckee PTA Meeting Scheduled on Friday

A meeting of the Truckee Parents and Teachers Association will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock at the grammar school. All members are requested to attend as important business is scheduled.

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Summit Scene

by FRAN COUILLARD

One of the most successful undertakings of the area was consummated on January 5. In October, H. Terwilliger, a Red Cross field representative, came to our mountain top to stress the necessity of first aid highway stations not only for helping those who might be injured in accidents but as a warning to reckeless drivers. The Donner Community Club took up the project and between 25 and 30 members enrolled for training under Cam Roumage of Cisco Grove. Almost 100% of the class received their certification. The Auburn and Nevada City Red Cross chapters proceeded to break a precedent in Red Cross History. Six Red Cross first aid stations were to be dedicated to the area with supplies coming from a central supply depot at Cisco Grove.

Raymond Barrows, vice president and Pacific area director, thought it important enough to leave his San Francisco office and come up for the dedication. His assistant Robert Shea, Red Cross technical advisors, script writers, radio chief, public relations hear and photographer also journeyed to the area to help direct this tremendous drive for safety on the highways. The Hull Hotel chain of Nevada and California donated their show Carnival on Ice as a climax to the dedication. A caravan of cars including a radio mobile unit to record the dedications started at the Summit. Wm. Rutherford, president of the Donner Trail Association which coordinated the Red Cross and highway groups, dedicated Station No. 1 at the Ski Hi which will serve the Ski Ranch section. From there the Donner Trail was followed as the stations were dedicated. Station No. 2 serving Kiski Lodge and Ski Inn was dedicated at the Ski Inn by Beth Lukens of the Auburn Red Cross. No. 3 at Soda Springs Hotel by Eileen Mair of the Nevada City chapter, No. 4 at Crampton's Lodge by Capt. Geo. Peterkin of the highway patrol, No. 5 at the Big Bend Ranger Station by Max Williamson, USFS, and No. 6 at Yuba Gap by Glen Parsons, president of the community club.

Under the guidance of James Sherritt, who was raised in this region and is a local historian of note we "took" the Donner Party by the shores of Lake Mary; we "found" seven of the group in a depression back of Ski Inn thed. At the foot of the Soda Springs ski hill we "watched" them trudge thru Summit Valley and choose the hidden passage that took them around the Palisade Lake country to emerge again under the Cascade Tressel that we could see near Crampton's Lodge. We followed them down the present Donner Trail past Rainbow, Trailsyde, Big Bend and Cisco Pines where Sherritt told us an amazing story while we ate lunch at Jack and Alice Walsh's, a wonderful luncheon donated by the couple who are always willing to cooperate with any progressive highway movement. Jim state that in the report of the group which came to rescue the Donner Party Cisco Bluffs was the point at which twice the rescuers turned back in their attempt to reach the tragic pioneers. From there we continued down the present Donner Trail to the point where the Donner Party passed behind the present Rancho Sierra and thence on to Nyack Lodge where our visitors looked out over Bear Valley, the end of the old Donner Trail. A few days before the caravan started a meeting of Donner Trail hotel owners was held and all agreed to house the visitors who traveled to our area to participate. Nyack Lodge, Rainbow Tavern, Donner Summit Lodge, Beacon Hill Lodge, Soda Springs Hotel and Donner Lake Lodge were a few who aided us in housing the visitors. There was not a place on this highway that did not offer help and full cooperation and we take this opportunity to thank them one and all in the name of the Donner Trail Association. A dinner was served at Donner Lake Lodge after the Ice Carnival staged on Earl Newbern's new ice pond. The chambers of commerce at Auburn, Truckee and Reno prof fered their full assistance and helped to their fullest capacity.

The Donner Trail reservation bureau is still going strong. Don't forget to sen in your surplus to the Soda Springs office and we in turn will place our surplus with those of you who are not booked for the heavy weekends.

Mrs. Ruth Widing from Rancho Sierra at Emigrant Gap came to talk over area promotional ideas. We learned that Commander W. Lang of the Flying Boat Mars and his squadron of 23 were guests at the Rancho for three or four days. The Widings are planning a big swimming pool on their property this summer.

Al McKenzies's tow at Carpenter's Flat is running full blast. Did you know there is a bob sled run at Cisco Grove? We didn't. Someone else tells us there is a tow running near Donner Lake Lodge. We find that the first historical marker under Guy Gilchrist's avid program will be placed on the Rancho Sierra property and that the state's subsidization alone for this marker is $4,000.

Beacon Hill Lodge busted out this weekend with an orchestra—kids from Stanford and they were good! Think this will be a regular Saturday night custom from here on in. Another of our neighbors down the hill has a Saturday night orchestra—Perry Adee of Yuba Gap Lodge.

Bud Walton reports that in spite of intense cold and heavy wind that he had one of the best weekends ever.

Tuesday we attend a Western Conference in Reno which has to do with ski tow and winter sport hotel operators. Will give you a report next week.

Look at the rotogravure sections hung up in the lobby of the Donner Summit Lodge and learn something about your area. The Oakland Tribune is writing a series of Centennial articles about our area and they tell me Jim Sherritt is helping them.

Forgot to mention in our list of donors to the Donner Trail-Red Cross show that Milt Hogle took his loud speaker system off the roof and installed it at Don ner Lake Lodge so the skaters could hear Don Kay's orchestra.

Ice Lakes is getting new equipment to transport their customers back into their chalet.

Maria Schuster has returned from the holidays she spent with her folks at Carmel and Maria's Place is now open for business again.

Wanda Misener visits friends in Martinez for a few days. George Fraley leaves for San Francisco for a medical checkup and the rest of the populace works and skis.

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PUBLIC INVITED TO OLD TIME DANCE

TAHOE CITY— Residents of Lake Forest who have been sponsoring the old time dancing parties in Tahoe community hall cordially invite the public to attend on the evening of January 15 at which time Ray Frazier will serve as caller and music will be furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilson. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

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Tahoe Letter

FROM SWANEE
Phone Tahoe City 359J

Tahoe, January 9, 1949

Dear Tahoeites:

This has been another clear, cold Sunday. All day the lake has been ruffled by a bitterly cold wind, the white caps turning into small breakers that could be seen from our windows half way across the lake. Down by the old Standard Oil pier, at the end of which W. A. Simmonds takes weather recordings each morning, the shoreline remained a continuous row of breakers and flying spray frequently obscured sight of the water. Up on our secluded street the houses are more or less sheltered but down below us on the Tahoe City golf links the cold wind whipped the loose snow into a semi-blizzard. Like many other sections of the country Tahoe is experiencing one of the coldest winters in many years.

High school classes will be completed for the winter semester on Friday, Januray 14, and Principal Mrs. Bliss Hinkle and her husband Dr. George Hinkle will waste no time in closing their house and hastening to San Francisco where they will occupy their apartment for the vacation period. Son Dick, who is attending University of California at Berkeley, can spend weekends at home with them. Their daughter Marilyn (Mrs. George Myers of Tacoma) writes that she and her husband have just purchased a lovely new six room home in the northern city so their househunting problems are over.

Talked with Mazie Carnell tonight and learned that the Floyd Carnells left Tahoe New Years Day with son Howard to take him back to his Marine training base at San Diego following a furlough at home. They were expected back around the first of the week following a visit at the home of Mrs. Carnell's sister, Mrs. Larry Hemmick of Beverly Hills. Mazie's latest word from the bedside of her father Tom Walker is that he is still confined to bed in Woodland Clinic where several operations were recently performed.

Was sorry to learn last week of the destruction by fire of the Newcastle home of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Morrow who lost everything. It was reported to have occurred Chritmas day while the family was at the home of relatives for holiday dinner. Their daughter Lois and her husband also lost all their wedding presents and many of their belongings which were stored in one of the upper bedrooms of the house, built many years ago by Mrs. Morrow's father. It contained many valued antiques and was well furnished. The Morrows plan to return to their Tahoe City place to make their home.

Tahoe dog fanciers may well be proud for the Reno Kennel Club show Sunday saw four entries from here winning prizes.

Constable Harry Johanson of Tahoe City showed for the first time two of his eight white Samoyed sled dogs. Nine-months-old Viking took ribbon and trophy for best of breed and a ribbon fo the best puppy class while his father Kazan received third place ribbon in the adult class. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Milton Shontz of Tahoe City showed for the first time their five year old Dalmatian, Margrae Bandit who won the best male ribbon in the show. Mr. and Mrs. Elston Garrow, owners of 2½ years old Scottish terrier Duggan's Dew of Tahoe, entered him for the first time and he came home with second place in the open Scottish division. The Garrows will have another potential prize winner when Garrow brings 3½ month old Gus, a German boxer, up from Sacramento. Fourth entry from here was that of Mrs. Herman Rauh, who formerly owned and operated her own Woodland Kennels near Sacramento. Her entry was 2½ year old Ink Spot of Salarney, a sable collie who collected top honors as the best collie bitch of the show. Mrs. Rauh recently purchased a blue collie female, 1½ year old Sacramento Blue Velvet. Beverly Louise Rauh, daughter of the Rauhs, received third place honors for handlers between five and ten years. She was the youngest handler present and it was Ink Spot's first showing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Allen of Kings Beach also attended the show.

The second half of Tahoe's split duck season ended January 8 and reports indicate birds were none to plentiful. Here and there along the shoreline small numbers were sighted but the season was far from the good old days when a man could go out at dawn and be home in an hour or two with his limit.

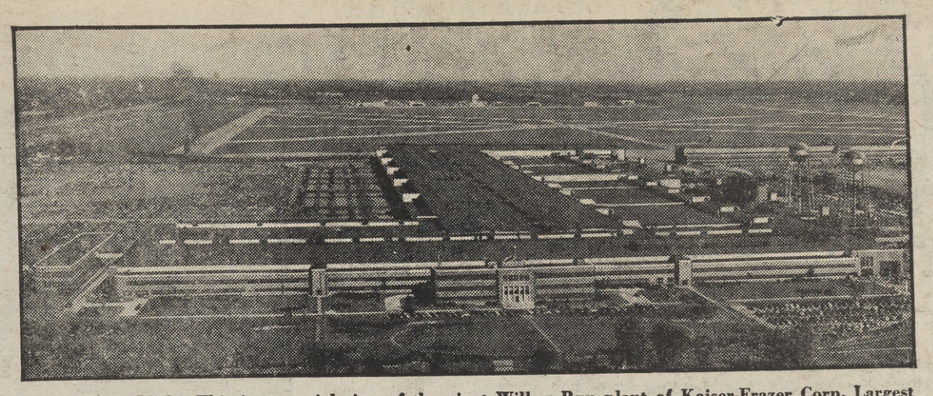
This morning's mail brought another cheery note from the Fred Whites up Washington state way and it tells of cold weather there too with just enough snow to keep them slipping and sliding four ways from Sunday.

Will ring off for the week with the hope that the mercury will find a way to keep from skidding into the subzero brackets much longer. It is just too cold for any measure of comfort. Best wishes to one and all. As ever, SWANEE

TURKEY FEAST PLANNED BY TAHOE LEGION

TAHOE CITY— Plans for a turkey dinner will be made at the next meeting of American Legion Post 718, according to a decision reached at a meeting at Tahoe Tuesday night presided over by Commander Al Randolph. The formation of a women's auxiliary will also be taken up at a later date.

Kaiser-Frazer's Willow Run Plant



Willow Run, Mich.—This is an aerial view of the giant Willow Run plant of Kaiser-Frazer Corp. Largest single-floor manufacturing plant in the world, the $90,000,000 war-time bomber factory was purchased by K-F from the War Assets Administration. Until the purchase, the auto company occupied the plant under lease from the government, and converted it from bomber production to the fourth largest auto manufacturing plant in the world. K-F has turned out more than 325,000 cars in the factory.

FAMILY RELATION TALKS FEATURED AT TAHOE

TAHOE CITY— Herman Rauh who conducts services the Tahoe Community Church each Sunday on Sunday evening January 16 at 8 p.m. will begin a series of lectures and discussions on Youth and Marriage. The talks and open forum sessions following them cover pertinent information from childhood to old age, stressing the spiritual aspects. The talks are based on material written by Dr. Noel Keyes of University of California and an effort will be made to have family units attend. The talks will cover approximately four weeks and all are invited. Children 12 and over may attend with their parents or with written parental permission.

The young people's club of the church voted last Friday night to hold their weekly Friday night dances at the club house as long as weather permits. The members who attend ski meetings first will join the party around 10 p.m.

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U.N. "Peace Train"

For some time past a United Nations Committee of Good Offices has been in Indonesia helping to negotiate a peaceful settlement of the dispute between the Indonesian Republic and the Netherlands. To insure impartiality, negotiations are held in both territories on alternate 3 week periods. A special "Peace Train" shuttles the delegates between Jogjakarta and Batavia. Above the locomotive is shown crossing the bridge located on the boundary of the territories of the Indonesian Republic and the Netherlands.

FIRE DEPARTMENT BINGO PARTY SLATED JAN. 20

TAHOE CITY— Fire Chief Al Henry Jr. announces a bingo party will be held by members of the Tahoe City Volunteer Fire Department on Thursday, January 20 at 8 p.m. in Tahoe City Community hall. Chairmen of the party are Charles Henrikson of Lake Forest, Oscar Quam and Verne Bartell of Tahoe City and Charlie Sherman in Tahoe Park. Father Murphy, a relative of the Basil Kehoe Jr. family who is visiting them, will take charge of the arrangements.

Money raised from the entertainment will go into the department funds and will be added to the generous amount recently given by Mrs. Elizabeth Walker of the Truckee River and will be used at any fire within reach of water outside the regular fire district. Refreshments will be served following the party.

Plans are still being formulated by which outlying districts at Sunnyside, Tahoe Park and Lake Forest may be added to the Tahoe City fire district.

Chief Henry attended the Truckee fire district meeting Tuesday evening.

The average price of electricity per kilowatt hour fell from 3.4 cents in 1902 to 2.1 cents in 1937 or about 40 per cent.

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BISHOP SHOWS MOVIES OF EUROPE TREK

TAHOE CITY— The movies of Bishop Noel Porter taken in England and France last summer during his visit overseas were shown to a group on Sunday evening last as scheduled. The bad weather kept many home and the film may be shown again at a later date when roads are more accessible.

At Lake Charles, La., the heaviest rainfall ever recorded in the United States occurred on June 19, 1947 when 15½ inches fell in six hours.

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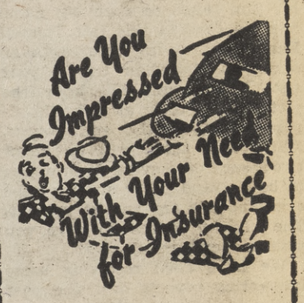

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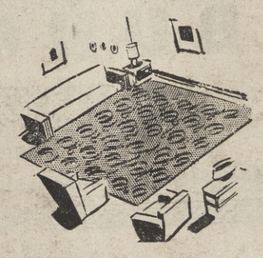
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JIMMY FUNTO

The North Tahoe Sports Club met at the home of P. M. Burroughs last Thursday evening. The main purpose of the meeting was the planning of the big spaghetti feed to be given this Saturday evening at Carpenters Hall. The dinner promises to be a very special one since the spaghetti will be prepared by Mrs. Eva Mason after an old and famous Italian recipe given to her some years ago. Those who have had the good fortune to have eaten it before say it can not be improved upon. Tickets for the feed are on sale at $1 per adult. All youngsters accompanied by their parents will enjoy their dinner free of charge. Entertainment after the dinner will include the showing of very interesting movies taken by local residents. Tom Sutton will bring his film taken on their big game hunt in Canada this fall. Russell Farley will show pictures taken during a Canadian trip a year ago. Bob Dennis will have the pictures he took at the Christmas party on the golf course. Alltogether there will be about two hours of movies. It promises to be a grand party and we hope everyone will try and be present. The club promises to give you your money's worth.

We have been receiving some interesting reports over the past week of effects of the earthquake shocks two weeks ago. Residents of the area are just realizing that houses are not resting on the same level as before. One man claim that in no other way can he account for his dislocated plumbing fixtures. A carpenter in town has a door on his house that will not stay shut since the quake. Water pipes, originally installed to allow for drainage, now slant in the opposite direction. Floors are definitely off level and when water pipes froze that were supposedly well packed in sawdust, investigation showed the box holding the packing split open. Mother Nature didn't put us down in the same place after our shaking.

And speaking of cold weather, the Bill Wisemans phoned to say that they had ten inches of snow in Montrose and they went south to avoid the winter.

We enjoyed a nice letter from Mrs. Milton Robertson this week. They are located in Lafayette and are building a new house there. Ramona is enjoying her work at the University of California. Mrs. Robertson said that snow fell in Lafayette Christmas Day.

Pearl and Harvey Martin and baby Paula Lynn, Mrs. Lena Martin, Mrs. Mary Gallerani and daughter Irene are leaving in a few days for Alburquerque, N.M. While there Mrs. Gallerani will undergo an operation. They expect to be gone for about three weeks.

Florence Miles has returned after her visit with the Bill Althofs in Palo Alto. She reports that little Chris is getting to be quite a boy and will be talking soon. Camie and Bill spent Christmas in Oregon visiting his family. They made the trip by plane and the return flight was made on the tail of one of the recent high winds off the coast. They said it was quite an experience and both were glad when they arrived safely in San Francisco.

Mrs. Opal Redinger, her daughter Mignon and Mrs. Bonnie Barnett made a trip to Auburn one day last week.

Nikki Ann Wing is quite thrilled with her new little brother. Two weeks old Tuesday, he weighs 9½ pounds.

The Women of the Community Church are engaged in making quilts for relief work. They started their project at the home of Mrs. A. E. Abbott last Tuesday afternoon. Anyone having woolen garments or material in good condition may get in touch with Mrs. Abbott. The quilts will be made out of 7-inch squares and all women of the community are invited to join in the good work.

EMPLOYMENT IS STATE DROPS AS PROSPECT.. DULL

SACRAMENTO —(W. N. S.)— California employment, none too bright at the present despite an increase over 1947, is losing ground and there are approximately 250,000 unemployed workers as compared to 235,000 a year ago, the state department of employment said today.

However, claims for unemployment insurance do not provide the true picture of employment in California today, the department says, for there are many workers entering the state who are not entitled to draw compensation, while agricultural and domestic workers do not come under provisions of the law.

Ten Millions

The state's population at the present has been estimated by the department at 10,100,000 but other sources place the California total at 10,200,000. The increase since the war years has been between 300,000 and 400,000 annually.

This, according to officials, accounts partially for the increase in unemployment for industry, while expanding, is in the process of postwar adjustment and opportunities for jobs are fewer.

The decrease in farm labor is seasonal and workers will return to farms starting in March. However, the department expects the unemployment peak to be reached in March and April, with conditions improving after that.

State employment offices report a lack of jobs for white collar workers, railroad labor and industrial plant workers. There are still openings for some skilled workers.

Lumber Layoffs

The lumber industry has slowed with many small mills shut down. Larger mills have curtailed production.

Red Bluff succeeded the town of Tehama as Tehama County seat in 1857.

U.N. Observers Check on Truce in Palestine

Along the Lebanese front in Palestine, a party of unarmed truce observers checks military positions to make certain that the United Nations-imposed cease-fire is being kept by both sides. This party, under the command of a French officer (third from left), confers with some officers of the Lebanese Army over a map of the area.

TWO CARS DAMAGED IN CRASH ON ICY ROAD

TAHOE CITY— Two cars were badly damaged on Monday evening on icy Highway 89 on the curve near the Werner home at Lake Forest about 5:30. Cars driven by Delbert Bowman and Otis Wing, both of Kings Beach, collided but neither driver was injured.

HOLIDAY IN HOMEWOOD

Fred Cauffman of Roseville was a holiday season visitor of the R. I. Collards and their daughter Mrs. Mae Brownlow and daughter of Homewood.

Church Notices

Truckee Community Church
Rev. Oscar H. Swenson
Church School ..... 10 a.m.
Worship Service ..... 11 a.m.
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The Truckee Group of Christian Scientists
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TAHOE OLD TIMER

Fred Johnson Sprigggs, 75, who 48 years ago worked for Lawrence & Comstock at Lake Tahoe, died at a Sacramento hospital. He established Fred's Place near Placerville and for many years was its proprietor.

TAHOMA TO SIERRA MADRE

Robert Campbell of Tahoma writes that they are going to be visiting in Sierra Madre.

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LOCAL AREA AAUW MEETS AT HOME IN TAHOE CITY

TAHOE CITY— Mrs. Charles Warner was hostess Tuesday evening when members of the American Association of University Women met at her home. Plans for 1949 activities were tentatively discussed during the meeting which was presided over by Mrs. Bliss Hinkle. Refreshments were served.

LOOK HOMEWARD

The C. W. Jones of Tahoe Vista who have been wintering in snowbound southern California are thankfully returning to Lake Tahoe. Jones writes that there is no place like our beautiful lake

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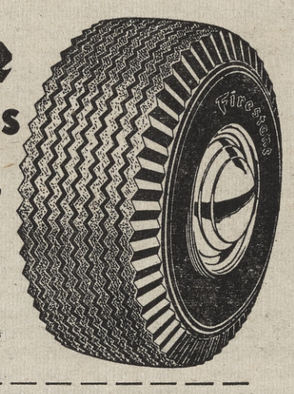

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PERSONAL ITEMS FROM THE TAHOE REGION

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Otis Wing of Lake Tahoe in a Reno hospital on Tuesday, December 28.

Ladies of the Lake Forest Hobby Club met at the home of Mrs. Flo Johnson in Lake Forest on Wednesday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Brodehl of Lodi, former Tahoeites, have returned from an enjoyable vacation trip to Vancouver, B. C., where they visited with relatives.

John L. Krueger of Tahoe, employed all summer at the Truckee Tahoe Lumber Company's Tahoe City office, is leaving the first of this week to fly from Reno to Burbank, where he will visit briefly at the home of his sister, Mrs. Larry Hemmick of Beverly Hills, and family before taking off by plane for an extended visit in New York. His plans call for a return trip via plane to Mexico and southern California and a visit at Palm Springs.

The Tahoe City office of the Truckee-Tahoe Lumber Company will be closed for the months of January and February and reopen around the first of March. In the meantime the Truckee office will remain open.

Mrs. Dorothy Johanson, elementary school teacher, at Tahoe Lake School will spend the winter in Sacramento.

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LAKE TAHOE SKI CLUB WILL AWARD PINS

...TAHOE CITY— Members of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club met last Friday night with President Bill Bechdolt presiding. It was voted to purchase ski pins as awards for top skiers in junior tryouts to be held soon. Members of the club spent a good part of Saturday and Sunday tamping the club's smaller hill in town where the tow operates over the weekends and holidays and at Olympic Canyon where snow is in excellent condition.

All members are urged to attend next Friday night's meeting in community hall and make known their skiing needs so that the club can aid in helping to outfit them properly for the season's activities. Refreshments will be served every Friday night and pictures will be shown when available.

Carl Bechdolt Jr. was appointed by J. C. Schwarzenbach of Pasadena, president of the state ski association, to select members of the California ski team in the Jeffers Cup tournament at Sun Valley January 21-23. Golden State boys held the title for three years in a row, 1939, '40, '41. Events to be staged include cross country, giant slalom and jumping. Invitations were issued by Bechdolt to Jim Baker and Bob Stark of the Lake Tahoe Ski Club who had to decline due to employment. Howard Carnell and Pete Ables, other team members cannot enter because they are in the armed forces, which leaves Terry Tollefson of Big Chief the first man to be able to accept the bid. Bechdolt has not completed the list as yet.

THEIR DIMES JOIN

FRED LASSWELL
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TAHOE CITY— The level of Lake Tahoe Monday morning was 6224.61 with 75 CSF of water leaving the gates in town. Snow on the ground in Tahoe City measured 37 inches and precipitation for the past week was .45 of an inch. Warmest day of the past week was the 7th with 43 degrees and coldest was on the 4th with 6 degrees below zero.

FLORISTON

by CLARA FELESINA

FLORISTON— Friday's earthquake gave Floriston residents a couple of fairly strong jolts but no damage resulted.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Felesina journeyed to Carson City Sunday, January 9 to attend the marriage of Mrs. Felesina's sister, Irene Thompson, to Thomas Julian of Wellington, Nev. The couple were married at St. Peters Episcopal Church by Rev. Arthur S. Kean and were attended by Mrs. Felesina and Ralph Julian, son of the bridegroom. Mrs. Julian is a teacher at Smith, Nev., and is a graduate of Oneonta, New York, State Normal School. Since coming to Nevada in 1941 she has made her home with her sister during vacation periods. Julian is a Smith Valley rancehr and previously was a butcher in Pomona. The couple will reside in Wellington, Nev.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Saunders have moved to Marysville where Saunders will be employed in dredging operations.

Miss Norma Jean Smith of Hollywood has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Craig.

Mrs. W. Swanson, son Chris and daughter Susie, have returned to their home in San Francisco after spending a couple of weeks at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Ward.

COUNTY SALES UP

Taxable sales in Nevada County for the third quarter of 1948 amounted to $4,592,120, according to Jerrold L. Seawell, member of the state board of equalization from this district.

Revenues based on the 2½% sales tax amounted to $114,803, a 10.88% increase over the same period a year ago.

MAINS PLAN WEST INDIES TRIP FOR HER HEALTH

TAHOE CITY— Mrs. Fred Main is still confined to her bed after four weeks illness. As soon as she is able to be up she and her husband will leave for warmer climes for a perior of recuperation. The Bahamas in the West Indies is their ultimate goal and they will not return until she is fully recovered. Neighbors at Tahoe wish her good health in short order and a wonderful vacation.

At East Bay City—

Mrs. Charles Cross of Tahoe is at the home of her sister in Oakland where she will remain pending entry into an east bay hospital for treatment.

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The Undersigned do hereby certify that they are conducting an automotive parts supply business at Commercial Row in the Town of Truckee, County of Nevada, State of California under the fictitious firm name of

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and that the said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Thomas F. LaRocca, Truckee, California

Rose M. LaRocca, Truckee, California.

WITNESS our hands this 5th day of January, 1949.

THOMAS F. LaROCCA
ROSE M. LaROCCA

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
County of Nevada ss.

On this 5th day of January, A. D. 1949, before me, R. A. Scott, a Notary Public, in and for said County and State, residing there in, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Thomas F. LaRocca and Rose M. LaRocca, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that they executed the same. IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official the day and year in this certificate first above written. (SEAL)

R. A. SCOTT, Notary Public in and for said County and State. My Commission Expires February 26, 1951 f3

NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the newly formed Joint Unified School District comprising Tahoe Lake Elementary, Kings Beach Elementary, Donner Trail Elementary, and a portion of Placer Union High School & Placer College Districts in Placer County; and the Truckee Elementary, Floriston Elementary, and Meadow Lake High School Districts in Nevada County. That a special election for members of the Board of Trustees of the above described newly formed district will be held on Friday, January 21, 1949. It will be necessary to elect five members. Polling places will be Donner Trail Joint Elementary Schoolhouse in the Donner Trail Joint Elementary District; Tahoe Lake Elementary Schoolhouse in the Tahoe Lake Elementary and in a portion of the Placer Union High School and Placer College Districts; Kings Beach Elementary Schoolhouse in the Kings Beach Elementary School District and in a portion of the Placer Union High School and Placer College Districts; Truckee Elementary Schoolhouse in the Truckee Elementary School District and Meadow Lake High School District; and Floriston Elementary Schoolhouse in the Floriston Elementary District and Meadow Lake High School District.

Polls will be open between the hours of 1:00 o'clock p.m. and 8:00 o'clock p.m.

Signed: ALBERT F. BEQUETTE
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Placer County
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Superintendent of Schools
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In the Matter of the Estate of LAURENCE OWENS, No. 4912
Deceased

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, as Administratrix of the estate of LAURENCE OWENS, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent to file them with the necessary vouchers within six months after the first publication of this notice in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, in and for the County of Nevada, or to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within six months after the first publication of this notice to the said Executrix at the law offices of Frank G. Finnegan, Attorney at Law, 232 Broad Street, Nevada City, California, the same being the place of business in all matters connected with the said estate.

Dated this 9th day of December, 1948 MARIE OWENS
Administratrixof the estate of Laurence Owens Deceased. j13
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Visit from Minnesota—

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown have had Mr. and Mrs. William Neubauer of Walker, Minnesota, as their guests. The visitors are Mrs. Brown's parents.

Attend Vanities—

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loynd and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Langille attended the Roller Skating Vanities being shown in Sacramento this week.

Return from South—

Jess Strickland of Hirschdale returned this week after a trip to his former home in Jackson, Mississippi where he visited with relatives. He just missed the hurricane and blizzards which swept the area.

Back to Truckee—

Forest Ranger E. E. Boehm has returned from a three weeks trip to Susanville.

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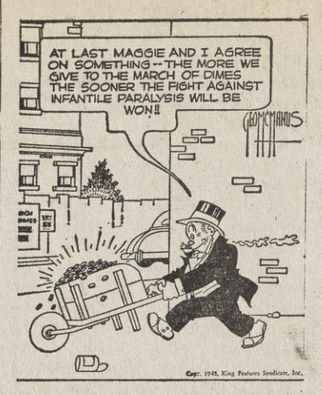
AT LAST MAGGIE AND I AGREE ON SOMETHING--THE MORE WE GIVE TO THE MARCH OF DIMES THE SOONER THE FIGHT AGAINST INFANTILE PARALYSIS WILL BE WON!!
GRIMMANS

MY PLACE in the SUN

by DOUG BARRETT

The little woman's race with the stork last Thursday caught me down in Sacramento.....Met Ken Kolb at the depot en route to his new home in Woodland and he sent back greetings via me to you all.....On the way back Charlie Beyer got on board on the Summit where he is now working.....Then on to Reno and a photo finish with the arrival of my third daughter.....Actually had three hours to spare but the race angle sounds good..... Am going to start a Three of a Kind Club.....There's us and the Bill Currans with three girls each and the Barney Phipps and the Bud Otts with three boys each..... Sarge and Rosita Reynolds qualify by seniority and one to spare .....four girls.....Whaddaya mean a full house beats three of a kind —three of a kind is a full house .....And around town I noted Red Jolley winding up the refresher paint job at Goodfellows.....The new shuffleboard at the Tourist Club.....Carl Bechdolt Jr. and his station wagon getting an early start this morn with the Tahoe mail.....A 1949 Minnesota auto license plate advertising that state's centennial and California cars still stuck with the 1947 plate and 1949 corner tab. Verra thrifty, verra thrifty.

WIKANDER SKIS 42 MILES TO SEE BACK COUNTRY

TAHOE CITY— Victor Wikander, who with his wife is spending the winter at Tahoe in the Bliss home near Tahoe Tavern, has just returned from a trip on skis back into his summer cottage on Buck Island Lake. Wikander, a veteran skier, made the 42 mile trip in record time over well packed terrain. He reports the snow on the crest of the Miller Lake Summit, over which he had to pass, measures six feet. So cold and windy is the back country that he saw not an animal track on the entire trip and sighted not a single bird. The Rubicon River and streams of the area are frozen.

Wikander reports five feet of snow on the new steel bridge which was erected over the Rubicon last year by El Dorado County for the benefit of stock men, replacing the battered old wooden bridge which stood there for many years. Every fall the herds are driven via this route to the pastures of the lower country from the Tahoe region summer pastures. Jeeps are reported to be the only vehicles which can negotiate the hazardous road at any time of the year, rains and melting snows in the spring washing out the road beds.

Wikander found his three cabins in good shape and enjoyed an overnight stay there on Buck Island Lake. In the fall when he and his wife leave at the end of the season they leave food in tins and plenty of wood for the fire. Water can be obtained for household use in winter by chopping a hole in the ice of the lake. Mattresses and bedding are suspended from the ceiling on wires to protect them from the mice.

The round trip to the Wikander cabins is 28 miles but the robust Wikander, a man in his sixties, added another 14 miles to the venture when he went on to Wentworth Springs to investigate the condition of the cabin of his friend Baltz Schuler of Sacramento. All the cabins were in good condition.

Goodfellows Re-Open After Fresh-Up Job

Goodfellows Coffee Shop was reopened last Friday after being closed for repairs for 10 days. The place was completely redecorated and new stainless steel glass rack, sink, cupboards and a coffee urn cover were installed. The booths, tables, counter and chairs as well as the interior were all given new paint, adding to the appearance of the place.

Jim Loynd's Birthday Featured by Party

Jimmy Loynd, who was seven years old on Saturday, January 8 entertained several of his small friends at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Walter Loynd to celebrate the event. Miniature boy candle holders circled the cake and the shade of pink predominated in the party favors. Those who shared the afternoon with Jimmy were Donald and Barbara Brown, Dale Eaton, Judy Loynd, Barry Leamon, Ricky Currier, Theo Scott, Linda Loynd and Merrill Englehart.

20-30 Ladies Night At Cozzi's Friday Night

Truckee 20-30 Club postponed the regular Wednesday meeting this week and will meet Friday evening at Cozzi's for a ladies and guest night. Bob Sayre is chairman of the committee making arrangements for the evening.

The 20-30 met at Cozzi's on January 5 with Dr. Laurence D. Nelson of Truckee guest speaker. The doctor spoke on blood donors and transfusions and the possibility of setting up a voluntary blood donor service through the club. Plans continue for a winter carnival to be held February 12 and 13 for visiting 20-30ians and their guests.

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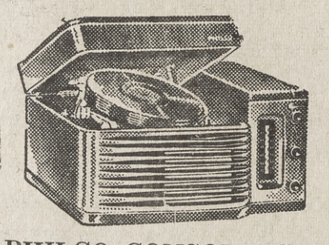

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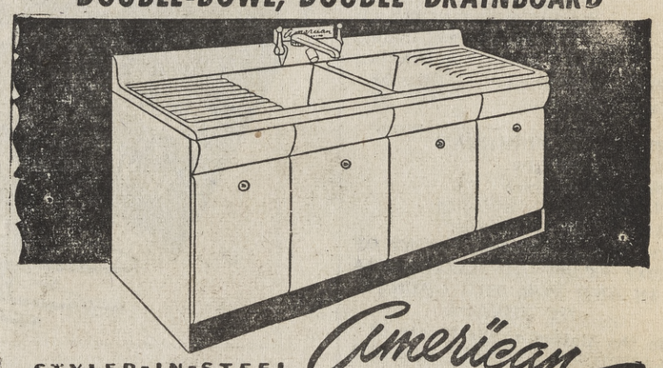

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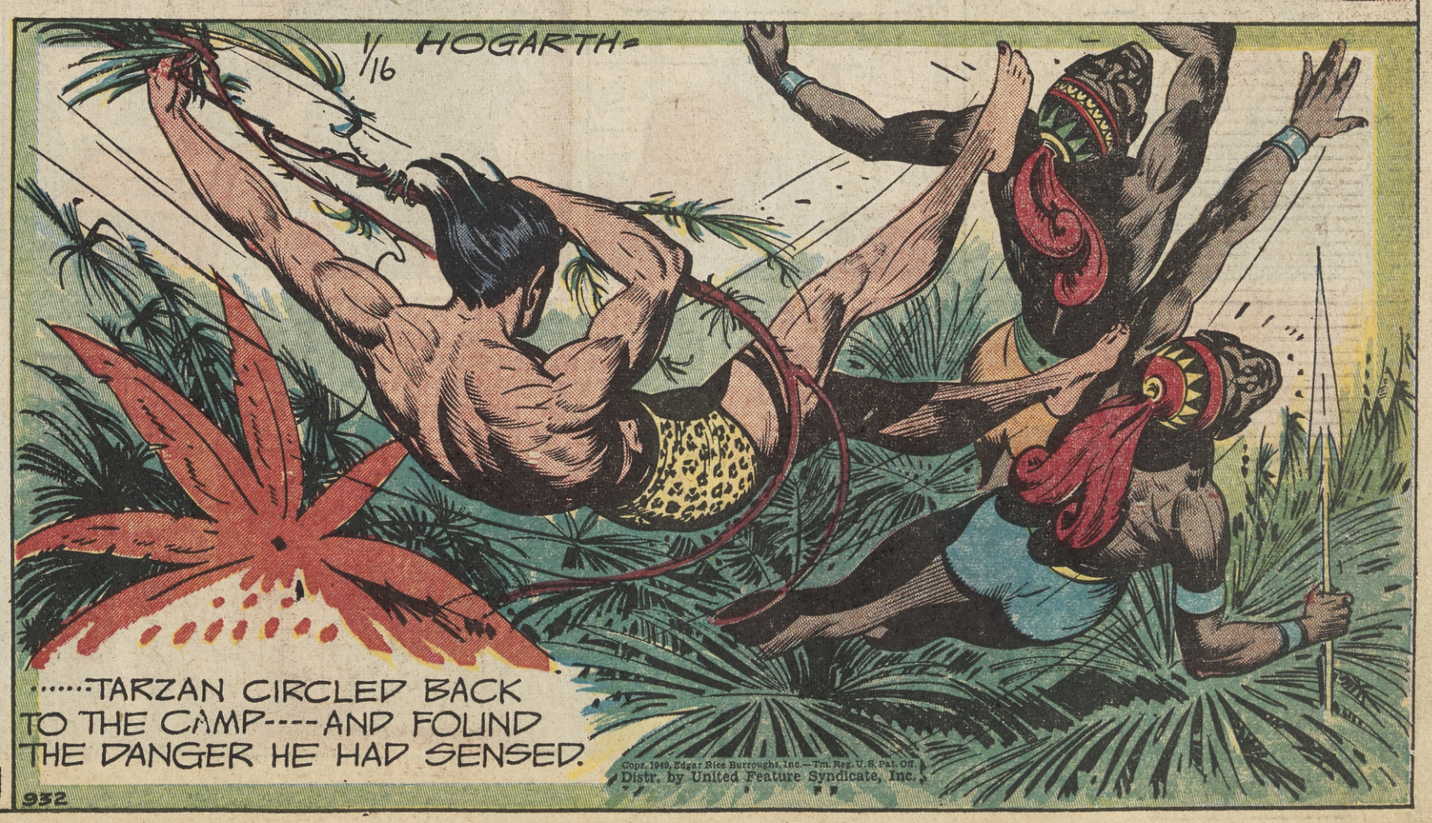
Tarzan

by EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS

SILENT AS THE SHADOWS, TARZAN SWUNG THROUGH THE TREES ABOVE THE BACK TRAIL. STRANGELY UNEASY, THOUGH THE TRAIL SEEMED DEVOID OF DANGER.....



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THE CAPTAIN AND THE KIDS

DER KINK'S LIDDLE NEPHEWS VANT YOU SHOULD PLAY MIT 'EM. AIN'T DOT NIZE?

LUEFLY, MAMA, HERE VE GO!

BY R. DIRKS

P-S-ST! THERE THEY ARE. GET THE IDEA BOYS?

SURE, UNCLE BONGO

HEH HEH

VOT DO YOU KNOW, -DICERS!

SEFFEN COME LEFFEN

YAAH, DER KINK'S NEPHEWS

?

TUT-TUT

BUT D'ERE CLOTHES

PAPA WANTS SHOES

OHO- SO DOTS HOW IT VOS

DICE GAME, EH?

HEFFENS- YOU, TOO?

TUT-TUT

-GAMBLERS HEY?-

VOT-

I SAID, GIFFS VUN SMART CRACK FUM DER FAMBLY, COMES A GOOD BROOMING

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ABBIE an' SLATS by RAEBURN VAN BUREN

JASPER HAGSTONE CONFIDENTLY WAITS WHILE THE MEMBERSHIP BOARD OF "THE FRIENDS OF FORT KNOX" CONSIDER HIS APPLICATION....

THEY **CAN'T** DENY ME MEMBERSHIP!! I'VE GOT **FIVE MILLION** AND THAT MAKES ME **ELIGIBLE!**

MEANWHILE— INSIDE

AS LONG AS THAT PEASANT HAS FIVE MILLION HE'S ELIGIBLE— BUT HE WON'T HAVE IT LONG!

A CALL FOR YOU, SIR. YOUR BROKER, I BELIEVE

J.P.? THIS IS O.K. — SORRY IT TOOK ME SO LONG -- BUT AS YOU INSTRUCTED— I'VE RUINED THAT CHAP, HAGSTONE.

HAGSTONE? ??? -OH, YES. YOU CLEANED HIM OUT, EH?!?

COMPLETELY! TOOK AWAY HIS HOME, HIS MORTGAGES, HIS FACTORIES, HIS EQUIPMENT— THEY'RE CARTING AWAY HIS FURNITURE NOW!

AND I'VE TAKEN THE PRECAUTION, BY ONE EXTRA STOCK MANIPULATION, TO LEAVE HIM FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN DEBT— JUST IN CASE HE HAS ANY CHANGE IN HIS POCKETS.

HA! HA! COULDN'T SQUIRM OUT OF IT, EH? **I'M IN**, EH?

NOT QUITE! YOU DIDN'T MEET OUR FINANCIAL REQUIREMENTS. YOU **HAVEN'T** GOT FIVE MILLION DOLLARS!

I HAVE **SO!!**

WE HAVE BUNN AND DRABSTREET— THE FINANCIAL RATING FIRM ON THE PHONE NOW, SIR!

I'M RUINED??? PENNILESS?! BUT WHO MADE ALL MY MONEY?

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J.P. COLDHEART! AND OH, BOY— IS **HE** IN TROUBLE! THAT PIDDLING EXTRA FIVE MILLION HE JUST MADE PUTS HIM IN A **101** PERCENT INCOME BRACKET, UNLESS HE GETS RID OF IT FAST— HE'LL BE RUINED, TOO!

GREAT SCOTT! I HADN'T REALIZED THAT!!

THANK YOU, SIR. I'LL TAKE MY FIVE MILLION BACK, AND LEAVE QUIETLY, SIR!

BY THE **SERVANTS'** EXIT, OF COURSE.

AND **STAY** IN THE BUSH LEAGUE, HAGSTONE, STAY WHERE FIVE MILLION **MEANS** SOMETHING!

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Fritzi Ritz

By ERNIE BUSHMILLER

JAN-16

MUST WE GO OUT TONIGHT?

I DON'T FEEL MUCH LIKE IT

THERE'S ALWAYS SO MUCH NOISE

IT'S AWFUL

LET'S SPEND A QUIET SATURDAY NIGHT AT HOME

FINE! EVERY PLACE IS SO NOISY ON THE WEEK END

WE'LL SPEND THE EVENING READING

GREAT! NOBODY YELLING IN OUR EARS!

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GET YOUR HAT AND COAT!

OKAY, LET'S GO—

AWK AWK AWK

AND SPEND A QUIET EVENING OUT!

SNORE!

CRACKLE! CRACKLE! CRACKLE! CRACKLE!

TIC TOC TIC TOC

DRIP DRIP DRIP DRIP

—CREAK-K-K!

JAN-16

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By ERNIE BUSHMILLER

JAN.-16-

DOUBLE FEATURE TODAY

NOW PLAYING

SIX-GUN SAM

COME ON, JANIE ---- GET YOUR COAT ON

THERE'S A SWELL MOVIE PLAYING TODAY

SORRY--- I CAN'T GO, NANCY

I HAVE TO PRACTICE MY PIANO LESSON

POOR JANIE

OH, JANIE ---- I'VE GOT A WONDERFUL IDEA

WHY DON'T YOU PLAY SO **LOUD** THAT THE **NEIGHBORS** WILL COMPLAIN?

WHAT'S SO FUNNY?

HA HA HA HA HA

IRON WORKS

BANG CLANG BANG BAM CLANG BANG

BOILER FACTO

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JAN.-16-

ERNEST HIX'S STRANGE as it seems

THE CHURCH OF ST. MICHEL D'AIGUILHE---- BUILT IN THE **10TH CENTURY** STILL STANDS ATOP A **280-FT.** BASALT ROCK! THOUSANDS HAVE CLIMBED THE **271 STEPS** TO WORSHIP...

MORE THAN **ONE HALF** OF THE FEMALE POPULATION OF BRITISH INDIA MARRY **BEFORE** REACHING THE AGE OF **15**!

A youthful bridegroom in his wedding garment

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JOHN LOTHROP MOTLEY— NOTED HISTORIAN, WAS REFUSED A PLACE IN PRESIDENT GRANT'S CABINET BECAUSE HE PARTED HIS HAIR IN THE **MIDDLE** AND WORE A **MONOCLE**....

DICK KIRBY 1-10

"GLORIA IN EXCELSIS"— ANCIENT CHRISTIAN DOXOLOGY, HAS BEEN SUNG FOR MORE THAN **1500** YEARS!

CRAYFISH ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR MANY DISASTROUS **FLOODS**! THEY UNDERMINE DAMS AND LEVEES DIGGING FOR INSECTS.....

CURFEW- ORIGINALLY MEANT- *TIME TO PUT OUT YOUR FIRE AND GO TO BED....* (FRENCH- *COUVRIR*, TO COVER, AND *FEU*, FIRE).

JOE INKS

By HENRY FORMHALS

JOE-OE!

I **KNEW** IT! TH' MINUTE I GET COMFORTABLY SETTLED!

STAR NEWS

NOW, LOOK---THESE ARE YOUR DOGS AND IT'S UP TO YOU TO GIVE THEM SOME EXERCISE! YOU HAVEN'T GIVEN THEM A WALK IN MONTHS!

AW, PHOOEY!

I DON'T SEE WHY I GOTTA WALK THESE MUTTS! TOM AN' CAROL ARE NEVER AROUND WHEN THEY COULD BE **USEFUL**!

SUCH SWEET DOGS! OH, I COULD JUST **HUG** THEM!

UH-WELL, HELP YOUR-SELF!

LUCKY DOGS!

WHAT A DARLIN' SCOTTY AND COCKER! WHAT ARE THEIR NAMES?

SKOOKIE AN' DINAH!

YEAH, THEY DO ALL KINDSA TRICKS!

OH, **CUTE**!!

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HMM, YOU POOCHES FIND GREAT FAVOR IN FEMININE EYES!---- MAYBE IT ISN'T JUST YOU, THOUGH! MAYBE YOUR MASTER, AS WELL!

NICE DOGS Y'GOT THERE! THEY WON'T BITE, WILL THEY?

MIGHT!

LATER---

BUT, JOE, THIS IS THE THIRD TIME TODAY!

I FEEL I OWE IT TO TH' DOGS TO GIVE THEM PLENTY OF EXERCISE!

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